

Serial No. 10/018,697  
Response dated Tuesday, June 05, 2007  
Reply to Correction/Notice to Comply of May 5, 2007

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-51 remain under active prosecution in the present application. Claims 38-51 are withdrawn from consideration. Applicants respectfully assert that all amendments are supported by the original disclosure and do not introduce new matter. Moreover, Applicants further respectfully assert that the amendments merely clarify the scope of the claims. The Examiner has indicated that the response to the Office Action, dated January 11, 2005, the formatting for the amendments were incomplete. Applicants appreciate Examiner's assistance with this matter. The new amendments, shown above, include all of the amendment markings (e.g., underlining of inserted text) for the claims.

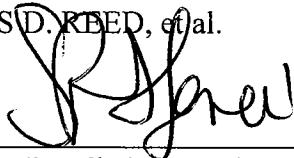
**CONCLUSION**

In light of the amendments and remarks made herein, it is respectfully submitted that the claims currently pending in the present application are in form for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration of those claims, as amended herein, is earnestly solicited. Applicants encourage the Examiner to contact their representative, Stephen R. Albainy-Jenei at (513) 651-6839 or [salbainyjenei@fbtlaw.com](mailto:salbainyjenei@fbtlaw.com). The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment of fees to Frost Brown Todd LLC Deposit Account No. 06-2226.

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